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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Chief Clerk/Administrator Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive Columbia, SC 29210

> Re: Joint Petition of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC to Request the Commission to Hold a Joint Hearing with the North Carolina Utilities

Commission to Develop Carbon Plan, <u>Docket Number 2021-349-E</u>

Dear Ms. Boyd:

cc:

I write on behalf of the North Carolina Sustainable Energy Association ("NCSEA"), whose petition to intervene in the above-referenced docket was granted by Chief Hearing Officer Directive Order No. 2021-152-H on December 13, 2021. In light of the Notice of Withdrawal of the Joint Petition of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC and Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("Duke's Notice of Withdrawal") filed in the above-referenced docket on January 24, 2022, NCSEA has no initial comments at this time. NCSEA reserves the right, however, to file reply comments should the Commission not accept Duke's Notice of Withdrawal.

By copy of this letter, we are serving the same on the parties to this above-reference proceeding.

Respectfully,

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